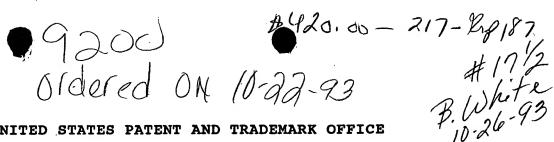


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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Pursuant to Public Law 97-247, Section 8, and 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) applicant herewith petitions that the shortened period for response to the Office Action mailed on November 20, 1992 and set to expire on June 29, 1993 (according to Paper 14) in the above-identified application, be extended for three months, to and including September 29, 1993. The appropriate fee of \$420 this three-month extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 accompanies this petition together with applicant's response.

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If this fee is insufficient, please charge our Deposit Order Account No. 11-0855. To facilitate this process, applicants have enclosed a duplicate of this document.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this paper and any documents referred to as attached therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, September 29, 1993, in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10, Mailing Label Number TB458063122US addressed to Box FWC, Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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